
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

HECTOR V. LOPEZ,

Plaintiff,

versus

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION NO. 1:06-CV-745

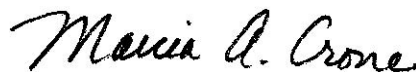
ORDER ADOPTING MAGISTRATE JUDGE'S REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

The court referred this matter to the Honorable Earl S. Hines, United States Magistrate Judge, for pretrial proceedings pursuant to Order of Reference entered on November 28, 2006. The court has received and considered the report of the United States magistrate judge, who recommends that the court grant the joint motion to dismiss and enter judgment pursuant to settlement.

The magistrate judge's report is hereby **ADOPTED**. The joint motion to dismiss is **GRANTED**. The purpose of the referral having been served, it is further

ORDERED that the reference to the magistrate judge is **VACATED**.

SIGNED at Beaumont, Texas, this 19th day of July, 2007.



MARCIA A. CRONE
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE